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## ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT February 2004 Update

### Subarea Health Planning Councils (SACs) Activities

- Hawaii** A new health center is being planned in West Hawaii. Kona Community Hospital is looking into developing a new facility and using its existing facility for other services such as long term care. The transportation project is planning a follow-up informational meeting on April 15 to present future steps in expanding the Big Island transportation system and outlining how the new \$2.4 Million federal grant will be used.
- Honolulu** Certificate criterion on Access (distance to acute care services) was discussed. Members agreed that this criterion is complex and more so when weighed with other legal criteria such as Need, Cost/Finances and Relationship to the Existing Health Care system. Jim Walsh, member and VP of Provider Services, HMSA was asked to give members information at the March meeting on how an insurer determines reimbursement rates to its providers.
- Kauai** American Cancer Society(ACS), Kauai – Mary Williamson shared the recent ACS, DOH and the Cancer Research Center of Hawaii publication "Hawaii Cancer Facts & Figures 2003-2004" with members. It includes much information on the incidence/deaths due to the major types of cancer in Hawaii and, in some instances, statistics are specified for each county. She also reported that an AmeriCorps volunteer is now assigned to work with the AANCART project for ACS-Kauai. She will develop a brochure for Kauai residents who travel to Oahu for radiation therapy.
- Tri-Isle** Tri-Isle SAC will meet February 27, 2004
- West Oahu** West Oahu SAC heard from Lola Irwin from the DOH Coordinated School Health Program about current and upcoming health education initiatives and opportunities in the schools. The SAC is going to work with Hawaii Medical Association to develop a speakers' bureau to contribute to and serve as a resource for health education. They are going to contact leeward and central Oahu district health education coordinators about how they could become involved in the schools.

**Windward** Windward Oahu SAC is compiling a list of all the diabetes activities taking place on Windward Oahu. They are looking into holding a community diabetes meeting to make connections between the various parties and discuss developing a Windward diabetes coalition where all the groups can collaborate and coordinate their efforts.

### **Research and Statistics:**

The SHPDA website had a total of 18,294 hits during January 2004.

Added a new real-time healthcare news application under the NEWS Column on our home page, [www.shpda.org](http://www.shpda.org)

The Certificate of Need Application Summaries and Decisions Files, Monthly SHPDA Update Reports, Web Server Hits Statistics and SHPDA Calendar web pages were updated.

Continued preparations for the 2003 Utilization Survey mailout.

### **Certificate of Need Applications**

- #03-17 Hawaii Radiologic Associates, Ltd. for the establishment of an outpatient computed tomography (CT) services at 77-311 Sunset Drive, Kailua-Kona, HI at a capital cost of \$1,125,000. Rescheduled for March reviews at applicant's request.
- #03-28 Wahiawa Hospital Association for the relocation of Wahiawa General Hospital services (excluding SNF) from 128 Lehua Street, Wahiawa to Waipio (Tax Map Key Nos. (1)9-4-006-001 and (1)9-4-006-002, at a capital cost of \$44,756,600. Incomplete. Waiting for information/revisions from applicant.
- #03-39A St. Francis Healthcare System for the relocation and expansion of its Wailuku Dialysis facility at a capital cost of \$3,994,900. Public notice February 3, 2004.
- #04-01 Maui Diagnostic Imaging, LLC for the change of ownership of imaging services at 425 Koloa Street, #102, Kahului, HI (Magnetic Resonance Imaging, Ultrasound, Mammography, Dexascanner); 221 Piikea Ave., #B, Kihei, HI (X-Ray, Ultrasound); 53 Puunene Ave., #115, Kahului, HI (Computerized Tomography, X-Ray) and; 99 South Market Street, Wailuku, HI (X-Ray), at a capital cost of \$3,118,637. Reviews scheduled for February/March.
- #04-02 Peter A. Galpin M.D. for the establishment of an Outpatient Surgicenter at 200 Kalepa Place, Suite 203, Kahului, Maui at a capital cost of \$142,000. Incomplete. Waiting for information, revisions from applicant.

- #04-03      Island Imaging LLC for the establishment of an open Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI) service at 441 Ala Makani Street, Kahului, Maui, HI at a capital cost of \$2,535,000. Reviews scheduled for February/March.
- #04-04      Maui Memorial Medical Center for the addition of an open Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI) unit, Wailuku, Maui, HI at a capital cost of \$2,172,648. Reviews scheduled for February/March.
- #04-05A     Mental Health Kokua for the establishment of an 6 bed Special Treatment Facility at 75-187 Alakai Street, Kona, HI at a capital cost of \$330,000. Reviewing for completeness.
- #04-06A     Mental Health Kokua for the establishment of an 6 bed Special Treatment Facility at 138 No. Central Ave., Wailuku, Maui, HI at a capital cost of \$575,000. Reviewing for completeness.